

SOUTH WOOTTON INFANT SCHOOL - Reception

Topic: Who likes to be beside the seaside?



What should I already know?

That our world is made up of areas of land and sea

That things change over time

That the emergency services help people in trouble

Map of the UK



Key vocabulary;

Seaside – a place by the sea

Coast – part of land that joins the sea

Cliff – steep rock face at the edge of the sea

Island – a piece of land surrounded by water

Coastguard – an emergency service based at sea to help ships or people in danger

Hovercraft – a vehicle that travels over land or water by a cushion of air.

Punch and Judy – traditional puppet show.

Key Questions;

How can we tell which parts are land and which parts are sea on a map?

What does the word 'coast' mean?

Which animals live on land and which live in the sea?

What were seaside holidays like in the past?

By the end of this topic we will have learned;

As **Scientists**, we will be able to name creatures found in and around the sea and will be able to think of ways to stop pollution in our seas

As **Geographers**, we will be able to explain that the coastline of the UK is where you find seaside places and that there are a lot of islands around the world people like to visit for beach holidays.

As **Historians**, we will know some similarities and differences between seaside holidays now and in the past.